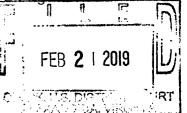
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA



U.S.A. vs. Jonathan C. Thomas

Docket No. 1:18PO1255

Petition on Probation

COMES NOW <u>Elissa F. Martins</u>, PROBATION OFFICER OF THE COURT, presenting an official report upon the conduct and attitude of <u>Jonathan C. Thomas</u>, who was placed on supervision by the Honorable Theresa C. Buchanan, United States Magistrate Judge sitting in the Court at <u>Alexandria</u>, Virginia, on the <u>2nd</u> day of <u>August</u>, <u>2018</u>, who fixed the period of supervision at <u>one (1) year</u>, and imposed the general terms and conditions heretofore adopted by the Court and also imposed special conditions and terms as follows:

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RESPECTFULLY PRESENTING PETITION FOR ACTION OF COURT FOR CAUSE AS FOLLOWS:

See Attachment(s)

PRAYING THAT THE COURT WILL ORDER a summons to be issued directing that the offender appear before the Court to show cause why supervision should not be revoked.

ORDER OF COURT

Considered and ordered this 2 day of 6 day of 7 day of 1 declare under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on:

Elissa F. Martins

Theresa C. Buchanan United States Magistrate Judge

/S/

Place Alexandria, Virginia

U.S. Probation Officer

(703) 299-2309

The Honorable Theresa Carrol Buchanan RE: THOMAS, Jonathan C.

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OFFENSE: Driving Under the Influence

SENTENCE: The defendant was placed on one (1) year supervised probation with the following special conditions: 1) The defendant shall serve five (5) days in jail (weekends/intermittent) at the direction of the probation officer; 2) The defendant shall enter and successfully complete an alcohol treatment and/or education program at the direction of the probation officer; 3) Commencing August 2, 2018 and continuing for the ONE (1) YEAR the defendant may operate a motor vehicle ONLY, (a) to and from work, (b) during the course of work, if requires as incident of employment, (c) to and from this court, the probation office and the alcohol treatment program, and (d) to and from his medical appointments; and 4) The defendant shall pay a \$400.00 fine, a \$10.00 special assessment, and a \$30.00 processing fee, all to be paid within THIRTY (30) days.

<u>ADJUSTMENT TO SUPERVISION</u>: The defendant's term of probation commenced on August 2, 2018. Mr. Thomas's adjustment to supervision has been marginal. Mr. Thomas completed the five (5) day jail sentence on November 11, 2018.

On January 17, 2019, Alexandria Alcohol Safety Action Program (ASAP) sent a non-compliance letter informing the U.S. Probation Officer that Mr. Thomas was instructed to obtain a treatment assessment but failed to do so. However, Mr. Thomas participated in a substance abuse evaluation by the Alexandria Community Services Board (CSB) on December 17, 2018, and they did not recommend treatment. It is noted that this evaluation was not received by ASAP. Due to this error, ASAP re-opened the case and Mr. Thomas is scheduled to begin ASAP classes on February 23, 2019.

At the commencement of supervision, Mr. Thomas was employed with Normal Window Fashions, and was terminated on October 30, 2018. He is presently self-employed. Due to his financial circumstances, Mr. Thomas has not obtained a restricted driver's license and reports he is not operating a motor vehicle. Mr. Thomas paid the court fines and fees on or about October 5, 2018, which is the last date of recalculation according to the Central Violations Bureau website.

VIOLATIONS: The following violations are submitted for the Court's consideration.

STANDARD CONDITION: TRAVEL OUT OF THE COUNTRY WITHOUT PERMISSION FROM THE COURT OR PROBATION OFFICER

On February 6, 2019, and February 10, 2019, the undersigned received several supervised release file hits from U.S. Customs and Border Protection. When questioned, Mr. Thomas indicated he obtained a passport on February 2, 2019, and subsequently traveled to the Dominican Republic from February 6, 2019 to February 10, 2019, for vacation with a friend. Mr. Thomas stated he did not want to "lose the trip", as his friend had won the trip and it needed to be used by a specific date. Mr. Thomas is fully aware of the policy and procedures to request domestic and overseas travel but failed to follow the proper protocol and traveled overseas without seeking prior authorization from this officer or the Court.

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